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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL CELL THAT RESISTS

DEGRADATION FROM EXPOSURE TO

RADIATION

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2006, finally rejecting claims 10-18, 45-52, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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